FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name ar	ROS 3. Dat	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ROSS STORES INC [ ROST ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/27/2013									all app Direc	olicable) etor er (give title		Owner (specify				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 4440 ROSEWOOD DRIVE, BUILDING 4																sident, Chief Merch Officer		,
(Street) PLEASA (City)	Street) PLEASANTON CA 94588					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								. Indivi ine) X	idual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
		Tabl	eI-	Non-Deriv	ative S	Secu	ıritie	s Ac	quired	l, Di	sposed of	f, or B	enefici	ally (	Owne	ed		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye					rear) E	Execution Date,			Transaction I		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			4 and Secu		icially d	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Re Tr		rted action(s) . 3 and 4)	(11341. 4)	(111341. 4)
Common Stock 03/27/201						.3			S		21,838	D	\$59.5	366	4:	29,933	D	
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																	
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date,		Code (I	ansaction of Derivati Securiti Acquire (A) or Dispose of (D) (Instr. 3 and 5)			Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)  Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

**Explanation of Responses:** 

/s/Barbara Rentler President, **Chief Merchandising Officer** 

03/28/2013

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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